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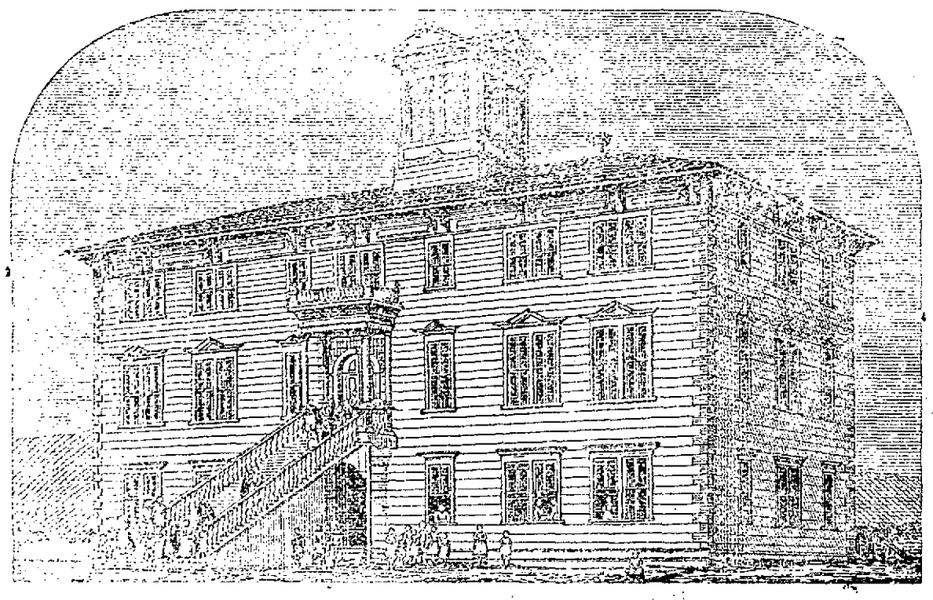

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Bishop Whitaker's School for Girls has now been in successful operation for ten years. It has attained a wide reputation for the wisdom of its management and thoroughness of its work. From the start it has been characterized by the paternal nature of its government, and its social training in womanly qualities. While diligent attention has been given to that part of education which can be attained from books, still greater stress has been laid upon the formation of an upright, pure character. Its influence is felt in hundreds of homes, and it has become one of the most important factors in determining the future character of Nevada.

During these years Bishop Whitaker has given to the school a large portion of his time and strength, and the benefit of years of previous experience in teaching and the management of schools.

But this institution, to which the people of this State owe so much, could not have been founded but for the generous gift of Miss Catharine L. Wolfe, of New York, a noble Christian woman, whose liberal endowments have aided many similar undertakings, and whose benefactions have been widely bestowed for the furtherance of education and religion not only throughout the United States, but in foreign lands.

In 1875, Miss Wolfe offered to give ten thousand dollars for establishing a school for girls in Nevada, provided the Bishop would raise an equal amount. In considering the most desirable place for the location of the school, there seemed to be no question that Reno offered the greatest advantages. It was the most easily reached, its climate was healthful, its future growth and permanence were certain, and there was, moreover, an earnest desire on the part of the people to have the school located here.

This desire found practical expression in the giving, by individual subscriptions, four thousand dollars in money, and the offering of several desirable sites for the erection of buildings.

Mr. Hatch offered a part of his improved ground; Mr. Leete offered fifteen acres if the school was located on his property; Gen. Evans, with his brothers, offered the site which the State University now occupies; Mr. Lake offered land on the bluff south of the river, and the Central Pacific Company offered half a block, to be selected from their lands in Reno.

At a public meeting held in May, 1876, a committee of citizens was elected to serve as a Council of Advice to the Bishop in selecting a site. The committee, consisting of Messrs. C. T. Bender, B. F. Leete, W. R. Chamberlain, A. J. Hatch and A. H. Manning, visited the places that had been offered, and unanimously decided that the block upon which the school now stands was, taking all things into consideration, the most suitable for the use desired, assurance being given that if this site should be taken the other half of the block would be donated. There were some who thought that the place chosen was too far from town, and indeed it might well seem so. There were then but a very few houses in the space between the school block and the railroad. The walk from the depot to the school was nearly half the way through sagebrush, and north and west was an unbroken waste of sage as far as the eye could see. Now the space in front is occupied with neat dwellings, and the sagebrush on the west and north has given way to waving fields of wheat and grass. In the meantime, by diligent solicitation, the Bishop had raised the six thousand dollars needed in addition to the four thousand given by the citizens of Reno, to secure Miss Wolfe's gift, and in June the erection of the school building was begun. It was prosecuted vigorously, and on the 12th of October the first session of the school began with fifty pupils and five teachers, Miss Kate A. Sill being the Principal. Since that time there have been changes in teachers, and a varying attendance of pupils; but the system of management which Miss Sill inaugurated, and the high ideal which she set before all who came in contact with her, has been present as a power in the life and worth of the school. At the end of the second year she returned to her home in the East, but after a year's absence she resumed her position and continued in the efficient performance of her duties until she died in November, 1880, loved and honored by all who knew her. The following season an exquisite stained glass window was placed in the school room in memory of her, which serves not only to make the place more beautiful, but as a perpetual reminder of a consecrated Christian life. Her place has since been succesively filled by Miss C. H. Sanford and Miss Annie M. Reed, each of whom possessed admirable qualifications for the position, and it is now occupied by Miss Amy Pease, who combines in a large degree the best qualities of those who preceded her. But to no one who has been connected with the school is it more indebted than to Miss Eva Quaiffe, who from its beginning has been at the head of the Department of Music. It is to her rare ability as a teacher, her skill in music, and her hearty devotion to the school that the great success of this department is due. There are few schools, East or West, where the standard of musical attainment is so high, and where the work done is so satisfactory.

The school building erected in 1876 was designed to accommodate forty boarders and five teachers. It is 40x88, three stories in height, well arranged, heated with steam and supplied with hot and cold water. The carpenters' contract was for $13,500; mason work, $1,500; painting, $1,-550; plumbing and steam fitting, $3,-450; so that the $20,000 raised was all expended in the erection of the building. To furnish and equip the house for use required a further outlay of $8,500, and the school was opened with this amount of indebtedness. With the low rate of charges established, the income of the school is but little more than sufficient to meet the current expense, and some years it has fallen short of this. It was necessary therefore to obtain the amount needed to liquidate the debt, from other sources. As the JOURNAL said eight years ago, "the Bishop will wrestle with this debt until he gets rid of it; but how much better it would be if some of the rich men of the coast would come forward and at once relieve him of it." But with the exception of Daniel Cook, who gave $1,000, the rich men did not come forward with any large subscriptions, and the Bishop was obliged to raise the greater part of the money among his friends in the East. Miss Wolfe gave him aid again, and other friends of Christian education contributed, and three years ago the debt was extinguished. Since that time extensive improvements and additions have been made, the greater part of the cost of which has been met by the Bishop's friends in the East. In 1884 the steam house was lengthened twelve feet and another story added, furnishing a well lighted studio and recitation room for the smaller girls. In 1885 a new building 24x50, two stories in height, was erected forty feet northeast of the main building, which gives much needed new recitation rooms, besides accommodating four teachers and seven girls. The architect and builder of the new house was George E. Holesworth, the plumbing being done by Jaques, the mason work by Burke, and the painting by Mr. F. C. Updike. The school now has room for fifty boarders and eight teachers, and during the past year all these places have been occupied. During the first five years of the school the average number of boarders and day scholars in attendance was fifty five. During the last five years it has been sixty-seven.

To the visitor the greatest apparent improvement has been in the appearance of the grounds surrounding the school. These comprise about seven acres, all of which ten years ago were covered with sagebrush. From 1876 to 1881, but little could be done to improve the grounds for the want of water, the only available supply being the Orr ditch, from which water was pumped for house purposes by a steam pump. But since the completion of the Highland ditch and the constructirn of the new reservoir the water supply has been abundant, and a wonderful transformation has taken place. The grounds have been laid out with pleasant walks, the buildings are surrounded with beautiful flower gardens; more than five hundred trees have been planted; a fine orchard has been set out with eighty fruit trees, one-half the block is covered with grass, and the lawns in front rival in neatness and beauty those of Oakland. The place has become beautiful, and as time goes on the natural growth of the trees and foliage will rapidly increase its beauty and attractiveness from year to year.

The school has a small but valuable cabinet of minerals and a library of about four hundred volumes, to which additions are constantly being made, and which already requires more room. There is need of philosophical and chemical apparatus, but there is a prospect of this being supplied during the coming year. Continual improvement has been the order of the school from the beginning. The aim of the management has been to secure the best teachers, to employ the best methods, to maintain a gentle but firm discipline, to train the pupils in habits of industry and neatness, and to surround them with all the influences of a refined and happy home. The result has been apparent in the lives and condnct of the girls who have been connected with it. As the home and its surroundings have grown more beautiful from year to year, the standard of scholarship has grown higher, and the general character of the school has been marked by constant advancement. Bishop Whitaker's School for Girls is an institution of which every citizen of Nevada may well be proud; and there is every reason for congratulation that we have within our own State a school which furnishes every advantage for acquiring a thorough education which can be found in any sister State.

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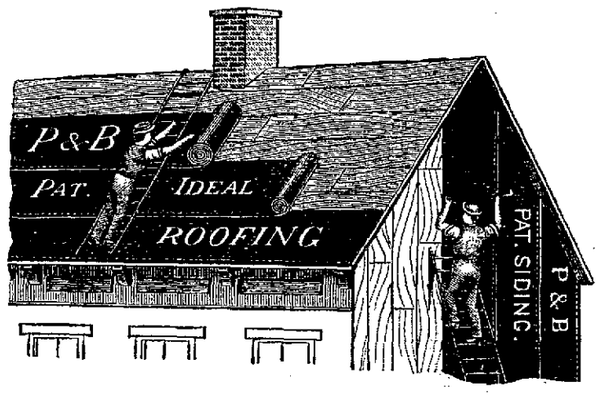

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SUNDAY.....SEPTEMBER 25, 1887.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

BREVITIES.

Gold Hill is improving.

Allen C. Bragg is in town.

Beautiful weather yesterday.

The town of Boca is getting lively.

The C. P. road is lined with freight trains.

The balloon ascension yesterday was grand.

The track was in fine condition yesterday.

Wood is worth five dollars a cord in Truckee.

Judge Belknap and family, of Carson, are here.

Strangers are arriving from every direction.

Mrs. Wallace Coffin is visiting relatives here.

Chief of Police Henderson came down yesterday.

Lively poker games are running in Susanville.

John D. Kersey, of Ormsby county, is in town.

Wm. Smiley, of Elko, is in town taking in the Fair.

W. S. Baxter, of Chicago, spent Saturday in Reno.

C. J. D. Hall, of San Francisco, was in town yesterday.

Henry Rolfe, of Virginia, spent Saturday in Reno.

Gen. P. E. Connor departed for the North yesterday.

Jim Gregory, of Wadsworth, came up Friday evening.

John Kinerk, of Truckee, is here taking in the Fair.

Don't forget the grand chicken dinner at the track to-day.

Judge Edwards, of Carson, attended the races yesterday.

Mrs. C. H. Rulofsen, of Dayton, arrived here yesterday.

Surveyor-General Jones and family are taking in the Fair.

Thomas Reynold, of Virginia, spent yesterday at the track.

E. P. Johnson, of Sacramento, arrived here yesterday.

The overland was one hour and a half late yesterday morning.

Governor C. C. Stevenson attended the State Fair yesterday.

Lieutenant-Governor Davis has returned from Sacramento.

Judge Hawley, of the Supreme Court, spent yesterday in Reno.

D. W. Bainton, of Leadville, Col., is spending a few days here.

The new quartz mill at Meadow Lake started up on Friday last.

Gov. H. C. Davis' familiar form can be seen on our side walks.

The Welsh-Brady Co. will arrive from Sacramento this morning.

The road leading to the race track was in fine condition yesterday.

Chas. Zeigler, the Virginia butcher, took in the races yesterday.

The great child actress, Minnie Tittel, will appear in "After Dark."

John Simms, of San Francisco, arrived here yesterday morning.

The Webster-Brady Dramatic Company will arrive here to-night.

Miss Ella Geiger, of Virginia City, is visiting Mrs. R. H. Lindsay.

Hon. W. H. A. Pike and wife will return to Stillwater this morning.

James McDermitt, of Milford, returned from Sacramento yesterday.

Cole Atherton and family, of Carson, were among the arrivals yesterday.

Pete French, the Oregon cattle king, is shaking hands with his Reno friends.

The foundation for the electric dynamo, at the Chollar mill, is being laid.

The water in the Carson river has increased very much in the last few days.

Secure your seats at once for the Theater next week and avoid the rush.

Mr. and Mrs. Bliss and daughter, of Carson, came down on the local yesterday.

The Fair train brought down two cars pretty well filled with visitors yesterday.

Assemblyman Pike and wife, of Churchill, were among the arrivals yesterday.

"After Dark" at the Nevada Theater to-morrow evening by the great Webster-Brady Co.

Mrs. T. T. Harris, who has been visiting friends here, departed for Milford yesterday.

The man who was arrested for setting fire to the depot at Battle Mountain was discharged.

All the old Washoeites must remember that Mrs. Roff has a fine restaurant in full blast.

A fresh invoice of sports arrived yesterday. The fraternity is now well represented.

The Central Pacific Depot and Ticket office is now located at the Capitol Hotel at Battle Mountain.

Everybody should go and see the Pavilion Monday night. It will be aglow with splendor.

Increased traffic over the C. P. railroad will necessitate the laying of a double track in a few years.

Don't fail to witness the great railroad scene in "After Dark" at the Theater to-morrow, Monday evening.

THE STATE FAIR.

A Glorious Day—More Strangers—Large Attendance at the Track.

The sun came out warm and bright yesterday, drying up the mud and the roads were in a splendid condition for driving. The train brought in a new supply of visitors, and among them many prominent Nevadans, who will spend the greater portion of the coming week viewing the exhibits and watching the races. The hotels are filled with old timers who came to the silver State when the mining excitement was at its hight and agriculture in Nevada was practically unknown. They are here to see the display of its farm products, and to note the great improvement that has and is now taking place. A number of those in attendance are enthusiastic over the building that has taken place in Reno during the past year, and express themselves freely on the future of the Riverside town. The stock display was the grand attraction, and early in the forenoon the travel was lively and increased rapidly, as the hour announced for the parade drew near. The vehicles running to the grounds did a smashing business, and it seemed as though all the people in town were taking advantage of the fine condition of the road and the bright sunshine to visit the track. The balloon ascension that had been postponed on two occasions was certain to take place, and no doubt called out a large number of visitors. The ascension was made without any mishap, and the air ship darted rapidly off through space, drifting at first westward over the grand stand, reaching an altitude of seven or eight hundred feet, when it drifted slowly to the northward and settled down behind the stalls on the south side of the track. The Virginia road was lined with buggies and vehicles of every description all the afternoon and it was pronounced by all persons as the best day so far. The continuation of fine weather will bring a large number of visitors here next week and on Tuesday the town will be brim full of people from every portion of the State. The Comstock mines will be closed down and all the miners who can do so will be here. The hotels are doing a rushing business and the saloons are crowded from morning until late at night. Games of every description are running full blast and are all liberally patronized. The electric light company are doing their part, and the streets look magnificent at night. The Pavilion shows marked improvement each day, and Monday all the allotted space will be filled. The lower floor is filling up rapidly and a large quantity of goods will arrive and be arranged to-day. Mr. Mulcahy is doing all in his power for the benefit of those making a display, and says that everything will be in splendid shape there on Monday morning. The display on the lower floor is gorgeously arranged and presents a unique appearance. The attendance in the evening is increasing gradually, and next week the large hall will be jammed with people.

GRAIN WITHOUT IRRIGATION. — The Genoa Courier says: A year ago last Spring Messrs. Rodenbah and Hootman cleared off a tract of sagebrush land near Mr. Rodenbah's place on the east side of the valley, and last Fall drilled in about 30 acres of barley. It came up and did well, giving every promise of a splendid crop, until the hard freeze of last Spring, which greatly injured grain all through the valley, killed a portion of it. The remainder matured and the most of it was cut and threshed, yielding about 1,000 pounds to the acre. This yield was obtained as the first crop on sagebrush land, and without a drop of water except what fell from the clouds. The grain is of the finest kind, the kernals being very plump and sound and weighing 112 pounds to the sack. The past season was a very unfavorable one for grain raising, the hard freezes and cold winds of last Spring being something unusual in this valley. Mr. Rodenbah is certain that had the season been favorable he would have harvested a splendid crop, and this fall he will put in 100 acres in the same way. Mr. Rodenbah gives it as his opinion that there is a great deal of sagebrush land in this valley that will raise a good crop of grain without irrigation, if sown in the Fall and the season is favorable.

"AFTER DARK."—At the Nevada Theater commencing to-morrow evening, Monday, Sept. 26th, the greatest dramatic event of the season will be ushered in, with the appearance of the celebrated Webster-Brady Dramatic Co., with the first performance of Dion Boucicault's greatest success, "After Dark," with the most startling and thrilling situations and climaxes, ever presented in a melodrama. The great railroad scene is one which holds the audience spell bound and meets with cheer upon cheer. The repertoire for the week is as follows: Monday, "After Dark;" Tuesday, "Hazel Kirke;" Wednesday, "Lynwood;" Thursday, "Lights o' London;" Friday, "East Lynne;" Saturday, "Pavements of Paris." On Saturday a grand matinee will be given when a special bill will be presented. We advise all our theater going people to secure tickets immediately and avoid the rush at the door.

THE INDIAN SCHOOL HOUSE.—Agent Gibson received a dispatch from the Interior Department stating that the bid for the erection of the school house on the Pyramid Reservation would not be received by the "powers that be." The reason assigned is that the contract as let by the Government should be for a building, furniture and all complete, for $10,000. The bid for the erection of the structure being over $9,000, it was rejected.

AT THE TRACK.—The attendance at the track yesterday reminded one of old times. There were nearly one hundred teams inside the course, and the grand stand was well filled with ladies and gentlemen.

The stock parade was called on promptly at 11 o'clock, and was, as Governor Stevenson remarked, "the best ever seen on the track." There were 59 horses, including the six handsome Cleveland bays and Hardy's Norman stallions, in the procession, and of Herefords, Holsteins, Durhams, Jerseys and other cattle, there were 81 head, and a splendid lot of cattle they were.

The balloon ascension was made successfully, the balloon reaching a hight of several hundred feet, and landing just outside the grounds. The Professor says he will go clear out of sight next time.

The pacing race was won by Prince, although Sam Lewis took the first heat in 2:31, Pocahontas being distanced for running. Prince won the second heat in the good time of 2.26½, but the last two heats were only remarkable for slowness. The special race was won by Tommy Keating's Ned in three straight heats, he being too fleet of foot for Clara G. or Franklin. Time 2.33, 2:30, and 2: 38.

To-morrow there will be a mile and quarter dash between Alcatraz and May Blossom, a three-quarter dash between Panama, Lige Clark and Mollie McShane, and a three-eighths and repeat between Lady Kent, Kittie, Pat and Rock. There will also be a mile dash for the yearling trotting colts Duke and Victor B., B., B.

SPIRITUALISM. — To-night (Sunday) evening, September 25, at the Nevada Theater. Miss Kate Eddy, Alex. Hume and other noted spirit mediums, will give an entertainment for the purpose of demonstrating spirit power, in the light. The following are among the many demonstrations given: Miss Eddy's open seance, as presented by her before the leading scientific societies of England, Austria Germany and France. Miss Eddy was, by them, subjected to the most cruel test conditions. There is not one member among them but that acknowledges that, in the presence of Miss Eddy, there is a wonderful power and intelligence, outside the physical body, that can assume a human form and annihilate distance; but what this power is, there is a diversity of opinion. A table rises and floats in mid air; flowers are brought and passed through the audience by invisible hands; spirit slate writing; questions written and retained by the interrogators will receive full and intelligent answers. The press indorse them in all parts of the State. A small price of admission will be charged to defray expenses.

CALLED HOME.—Nick Andrews, a pioneer of the Comstock and well known in Western Nevada, died in San Francisco Thursday night. Nick was one of the early miners on the old lode, and filled, at various times, positions of trust in several of the leading mines. Of late years he was employed in the Crown Point, and it was in this mine the accident occurred which ended his existence. The running of a nail in his foot caused his death. All his friends, and they are numerous, will regret to hear of his death. He was a native of Cornwall, England, over 60 years of age. "Old Nick," as he was familiarly called by his comrades underground, was a whole souled, good man to work with, and though years had laid a heavy hand upon him, he was always willing to do his part. All the old time miners are passing away, and it will not be long until all those who first delved in the Comstock will be under the ground forever.

TO VISITORS.—Those who come here to see the exhibit should not return home without visiting all places of interest in Reno. Bishop Whitaker's school and Mount St. Mary's Academy, are both entitled to consideration, and it will justify all those who are interested in education to go through them. The State University is the finest institution of learning in Nevada and a cordial invitation is extended to everybody to call and examine it. The Insane Asylum and Electric Light Works, are also interesting places to visit, and every attention will be paid to those who care to go through them. A trip through the town will be of much interest to those who have been in Reno before, as great improvement has taken place in the last two years. When you leave for home, do so with the satisfaction of having visited all the public buildings, business houses, etc.

RENO CORNET BAND.—The music rendered by the Reno Cornet Band at the Pavilion, last night, was one of the many attractions. This band with Nate Roff as manager and Messrs Kaufman and Hastings as leaders, is destined to become a first class band, and will fill a long needed want in our town. The improvement in both harmony and expression, are very noticeable, and it is the duty of our town to give the boys encouragement. The Reno Cornet Band will furnish music for the ball given by the Knights of Pythias, on Thursday night, and all who attend the party will hear good music from an orchestra consisting of twelve pieces.

ORE SHIPMENT.—Supt. Dickey, of the Grey Eagle mine, came down from Peavine yesterday to superintend the loading of a carload of ore for shipment to Denver, Colorado. The ore is rich, and is sent to the Denver works more for the satisfaction of ascertaining the best manner of reducing it, than for the profit that will arise from it. The mine is looking well and work is being rapidly forwarded.

THE PALACE.

One of the Finest Dry Goods Establishments in Nevada.

This magnificent dry goods emporium was opened to the public a few days ago by Morris & Levy, both well-known Nevada merchants. Although they came to Reno as strangers, their reputation as business men had preceded them, both members of the firm having been identified with the mercantile interests of Virginia City and Eureka. Being favorably impressed with the outlook here they quickly determined to engage in business and interest themselves in the future of our growing town. Their long residence in this State has rendered them familiar with the wants of our people and every courtesy will be extended to patrons by the propietors and their obliging employes. The public is cordially invited to call and examine their large and well assorted stock of goods and inquire into prices, etc.

The store is elegantly fitted up, resembling in appearance a city store, particularly the handsome plate glass show windows which are filled with the choicest of goods. In one window may be seen beautiful combination suits of every description consisting of French serges, foulards, cordulanes, armures, drap d'almas, tricots, and ladies' cloth, in all the latest shades of Havana brown, [illegible], brum dore, navy, marine and [illegible], while within the store fabrics better suited for evening wear may be found in sapphire, rose, eglantine, nile and robin's egg

Passing to the other windows a display equally as artistic attracts the eye, for in this may be seen everything that is unique and pretty in the line of novelties, such as the Derby kid gloves, dainty embroidered handkerchiefs, silk hose, satin corsets and feather fans.

Glancing from the window to the door a show case on the right hand side is filled with ribbons of every width and color, pompons of every style, and other things requisite for fancy work. The shelves hold boxes which contain laces and embroideries. This firm makes a specialty of antique and torchen laces, also buttons and dress trimmings. Among other novelties may be found pretty collars and chimesettes, and hand bags, satchels and purses of every description. A very stylish assortment of wraps has been selected in jackets and newmarkets in sealette, astrakan, check, mohair and beaver, which are selling rapidly. All the room in the large establishment is occupied with goods of every description and so arranged as to present a grand appearance. Cords of the finest dress goods meet the eye in every direction, all of which are artistically arranged and displayed to the best advantage. They not only deal in fine dress goods and novelties, but also in substantial goods, such as flannels, muslins, sheeting and towels. In this line of goods, as in all others, they defy competition and can show an assortment that would reflect creditably on the large city establishments. In connection with their extensive dry goods emporium they also carry an elegant line of carpets, oil cloths, wall paper, curtains and blankets. Their carpets are of the best material, and house furnishers will do obedience to their own interest pecuniarily by looking through their elegant stock before purchasing elsewhere. This immense invoice of goods is fresh from the Bay, is not counter worn or faded by age, and a suitable selection will not be difficult to make. Their prices are in keeping with the quality of the goods they handle and satisfaction is guaranteed. Those who are in the habit of sending away for goods will find that they can do much better by trading at home and will also be doing their duty to those who are devoting themselves to the prosperity of Reno. Visitors who are here attending the Fair must not fail to call at the Palace store and look through their large assortment. Next week their counters will be bending under the weight of dress goods, and they will be fully prepared to cater to the wants of the public. Go and see them.

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED.—The following characteristic notice appears in the Report of Friday: By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that the firm of Brown & Chartz is dissolved, and that I retire. Mr. Brown will continue the publication of the Evening Report, and I would respectfully bespeak for him a liberal patronage. Thanking an over-indulgent public for not having mobbed me long since, I am sincerely theirs to serve.

ALFRED CHARTZ.

THE GRAND BALL.—The grand ball to be given by the Knigts of Pythias at Armory Hall, next Thursday evening, will be the finest affair of the season. The parties given by this order, are never lacking in any particular, and the managing committee are determined that this ball shall eclipse anything of the kind that has taken place in Reno for years. The hall will be fixed up in tip top shape and the music will be excellent. Go everybody and have a good time.

TAKE A TUMBLE. — Senator Stewart has sent his private team to Oakland, Cal., where he intends to permanently reside. He evidently does not think the climate of Carson as salubrious as it was before he was elected to the Senate.—Eureka Sentinel.

The Sentinel should now give Senator Stewart a rest. He has recived his certificate, etc. Take a tumble.

T. H. Cook & Co., Sacramento grocers, will make a magnificent exhibit at the Pavilion. They have selected an admirable place to make their display, and will have it beautifully arranged. Where are our home merchants? Are they going to permit foreign business men to outdo them.

GRAND DINNER TO-DAY.—A grand chicken dinner will be served at the restaurant at the track to-day. The management have made every arrangment for a magnificent spread, and our people who relish a fine Sunday dinner will do well to go to the Fair Grounds and partake of the fine repast to-day. The tables will be loaded down with all the delicacies of the season, and obliging waiters will be in attendance. Go everybody and enjoy a good square meal. Below will be found the bill of fare. It will make one hungry to read it:

SOUPS.

Oyster and chicken consomme.

BOIL.

Capon, cream sauce.

ROASTS.

Chicken and beef
Prime beef.
Young pig and oyster dressing.

ENTREE.

Chicken pot pie, home style.
Braze short ribs of beef and mushrooms.

SALADE.

Chicken and lobster

VEGETABLES.

Mashed potatoes, green peas, and sweet peas.

PASTRY.

Lemon cream pie and mince pie.
White mountain and wine cake.
Vanilla ice cream.

FRUIT.

Grapes, peaches and pears.

GOOD FOR CARSON. —A petition has been circulated among the business men of Carson, and the result is that they have concluded to close their establishments next Wednesday to visit the Fair. Our people ought to appreciate this kindness on the part of our neighbor and reciprocate during the Ormsby exhibition.

Advice to Mothers.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it It cures dysentery and diarrhœa, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle feb. 21-sw 6-1y

BEATS THE LOUISANNA LOTTERY.—For the next sixty days all those who purchase one dollar's worth of groceries at Havenor's Cash Store will receive a ticket in a drawing for a fine gold watch. This is certainly a liberal proposition and all groceries sold at this establishment are fresh and of the best quality, and are disposed of at the lowest retail price. All goods are warranted and if not as represented the purchase price will be refunded. Go and take your chances in the watch. *

The people of Reno and vicinity are now offered a good opportunity to have an excellent portrait made of any style or size, and at very moderate prices. Attention is called to my display of pictures at the pavilion. Studio over Sunderland's shoe store, Virginia street, Reno. J. B. MONACO, Artist

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DRESS GOODS.

The many new lines of fine Silks, Surahs, Rhadames, Satins and fine Velvets of every description, will be found very attractive; also the large assortment of fine Woolen fabrics, such as Cashmeres, French Serges, Foulards, Cordulanes, Armures, Drap d'Almas, Henriettas, Tricotes, Ladies' Cloths, etc.; also a splendid assortment of fine Plaids and Combination Suits, many of the last named not to be found elsewhere. The prices will be found to be as low as anywhere on the Pacific Coast.

TRIMMINGS.

The difficulties often experienced by ladies in trying to obtain suitable Dress Trimmings will be no longer necessary, as we have a complete line of Dress Trimmings, Buttons, etc., and will aim to keep all new trimmings as they appear in the market.

FANCY GOODS.

Our Fancy Goods Department will be found well supplied with carefully selected lines of Hosiery, in Cotton, Woolen, Cashmere, Silk and Lisle Thread; fine Kid Gloves, in 4, 5, 6 and 8-button lengths; Corsets of the most popular styles and best makes; Handkerchiefs of every description; Ribbons in all colors and shades. Full lines of Notions and Novelties in Collars and Cuffs, Ruchings, Etc.

UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' and children's Cotton and Merino Underwear in various grades; also an elegant assortment of fine Scarlet, Medicated and Cashmere Underwear at popular prices.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.

This Department is well supplied with all grades and widths of Bleached and Brown Sheetings, Muslins, Ginghams, Cheviots, Percales, Prints, Tickings, Denims, etc. These goods will be sold at astonishingly low prices.

Particular attention is called to the Linen and Housekeeping Goods, which have been selected with the utmost care. The many choice patterns in fine Table Damasks, both bleached and unbleached, Turkey Red Damasks, Napkins, Towels, etc., will be found very handsome and excellent in quality. Prices very reasonable.

CLOAKS.

Our stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cloaks are from the best manufacturers, and styles the very latest. We have an immense assortment, both in Cloth and Sealete. We are also agents for the famous London and St. Petersburg Seal Sacque Company, and are prepared to take orders for any style of garments. Perfect fit and satisfaction guaranteed.

Carpets, Oilcloths and Wallpaper.

The variety of Carpets in our establishment are excellent, both in quality and pattern. Nearly all the popular makes are well represented, and we are certain that parties desiring to purchase a Carpet will have no difficulty in making a selection.

We have a complete line of fine Wallpapers of the newest designs, with borders, center pieces and decorations to match.

☞ It is our desire, by a straightforward and honest dealing to gain a liberal patronage from the people in this place and vicinity, and we will spare no expense to make our establishment here as popular as our houses are in Virginia and Eureka and vicinity.

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SECOND RACE—Running Purse $300 free for all one mile and repeat, first horse $225 second, $75

THIRD RACE—Trotting—Purse $150, mile heats two in three free for all stallions raised or owned in Humboldt county first horse, $100, second $50

SECOND DAY—Thursday, October 13th

FIRST RACE—Trotting to harness—Purse $250, mile heats, best two in three free for all horses raised and owned in Humboldt county, that have not beaten three minutes first horse, 175, second, 75

SECOND RACE—Running—Purse $150 one-half mile dash free for all, first horse, 100, second, 60

THIRD RACE—Running—Purse $200, single dash of a mile free for all, first horse, 150 second, 50.

THIRD DAY—Friday, October 14th.

FIRST RACE—Running—Purse $150, one half mile dash, free for all two-year-olds raised and owned in Humboldt county first horse, 100 second, 60

SECOND RACE—Trotting Purse $400, mile heats, best two in three, free for all first horse 300, second, 100

THIRD RACE—Running—Purse $150, one-quarter mile dash, free for all, first horse, 100 second, 50.

FOURTH DAY—Saturday, October 15th.

FIRST DAY—Running—Purse $150 one-half mile dash, free for all saddle horses first horse, 75, second, 50, third, 25

SECOND RACE—Running—Purse $400, mile heats, best three in five, free for all, first horse, 300, second, 100

THIRD RACE—Trotting to harness—Purse $500, mile heats, best three in five free for all, first horse, 300, second, 150, third, 50

Unless otherwise specified, the entrance will be 15 per cent of the purse or premium competed for

REMARKS.

First In all cases, any horse distancing the field will receive only first money.
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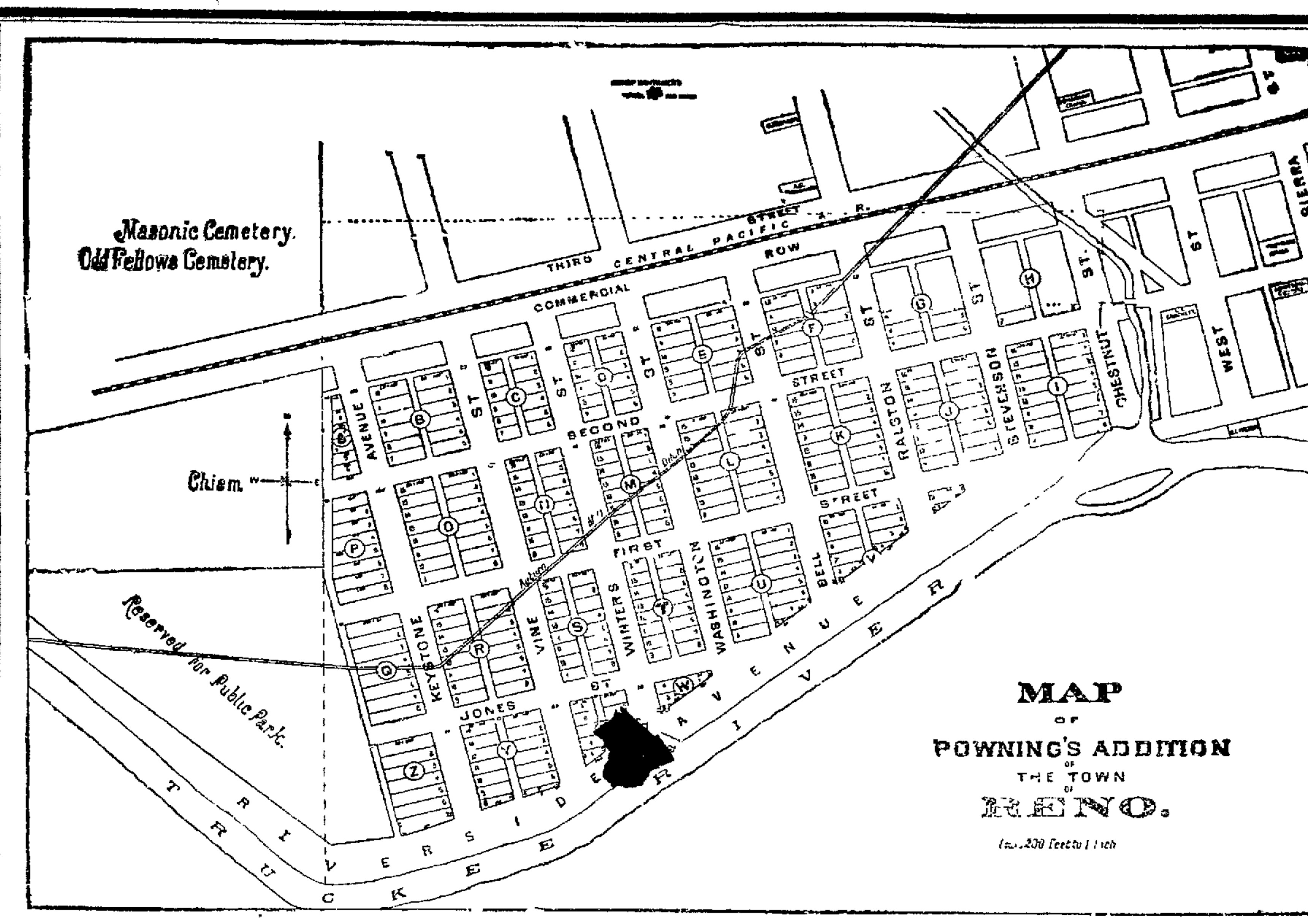

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THE STATED CONVOCATIONS OF RENO Chapter No. 7, of R. A. M., are held at Masonic Hall on the evening of the first Thursday of each month, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. All sojourning companions in good standing are fraternally invited to attend. By order of the E. H. P.
ju4tf L. L. CROCKETT, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

TRUCKEE LODGE, NO. 14, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, meet at their new Hall, west side of Sierra Street, near the Golden Eagle Hotel, Reno, Nevada, every Wednesday evening at 7 30 o'clock. A punctual attendance of members is requested. All visiting members in good standing ar cordially invited to attend.
GEO. W. MAPES, N. G.
JOHN BOWMAN, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

RENO LODGE NO. 19, I. O. O. F. meets at their hall on Chestnut street, EVERY THURSDAY EVENING. Visiting members in good standing are cordially invited to attend
F. KOLSTER, N. G
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LEGAL.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK, WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA, RENO, Nevada, Sept. 12, 1887

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE County Assessor of Washoe County, Nevada, has completed the Tax List or Assessment Roll for A. D. 1887, and has duly attached his certificate thereto and delivered it and the Map Books, and all original lists of property given to him, to the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, that the Board of County Commissioners will meet on Monday, September 19, 1887, as a Board of Equalization, and will hear and determine all complaints made in regard to the assessed value of any property within said county, and will change and correct any valuation, either by adding thereto or deducting therefrom, if they deem the same fixed in the Assessment Roll either above or below the true value, whether said sum was fixed by the owner or Assessor except that in case where the person complaining of the assessment has refused to give the Assessor his list under oath as required by law. In such cases no reduction will be made by the Board of Equalization in the assessment made by the Assessor

The Assessment Roll will be kept open for public inspection at the County Clerk's office until after adjournment of the Board of Equalization.

The Board of Equalization will continue in session from time to time, until the business of equalization is disposed of, but said board will not sit after the first Monday of October, 1887, except that the Board of Equalization will meet to equalize the Assessment Roll and hear complaints in excepted cases mentioned in the Revenue Law, Section 1091, General Statutes of Nevada. T. V. JULIEN,
Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners.
Sept. 12, A. D. 1887.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

J. H. WALLACE vs. A. KIRSHNER.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Justice's Court of Reno Township, Washoe County, Nevada, wherein J. H. Wallace, plaintiff, and A Kirshner defendant, upon a judgment rendered on the 20th day of January, A D 1887, for the sum of three hundred ($300 00) dollars, United States gold coin besides costs and interest, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, A. Kirshner of, in and to the following described real estate, to wit

The east ½ of the northeast ¼, the west ½ of the southeast ¼, and the north ½ of Lot No. 1 of the northwest fractional ¼ of Section 7, Township 18, north of Range 18 east, M D B. and M.

Public notice is hereby given that I will on the

Fifth Day of October, A. D. 1887,

At 1 o'clock P M of said day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Washoe, sell at public auction for United States gold coin, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, A Kirshner, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs, etc, to the highest and best bidder. L J. FLINT,
Dated Sept. 10, A D. 1887. Sheriff

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

WESTERN NEVADA GOLD AND SILVER Mining Company Principal place of business, Reno, Nevada, location of works, Peavine District, Washoe county, Nevada.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the above entitled Western Nevada Gold and Silver Mining Company, held on the 29th day of August, A D 1887, an assessment of one-half (½) cent per share was levied upon each and every share of the capital stock of said Western Nevada Gold and Silver Mining Company Said assessment is payable immediately to the Secretary of the company, at the office of the company, in the store of C Coleman All shares of said stock upon which the assessment is unpaid prior to the

29th day of September, A. D. 1887

Will be deemed delinquent and will be advertised as delinquent, and if not paid before the 20th day of October, A D 1887, will be sold, or as much thereof as may be necessary to pay such assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expenses of sale
C COLEMAN,
Secretary Western Nevada G and S M. Co.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF STEPHEN P. WHITE, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, Administrator of the estate of Stephen P White, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers in support thereof, within three months from the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned at his office and place of business on the west side of Virginia street, between First and Second streets, in the town of Reno, Washoe county, State of Nevada.
C. S MARTIN, Administrator.
RENO, Nev, August 27, 1887

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Antonio Ucilli, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at his office on Virginia street, with W. Sanders, in Reno, Washoe county, State of Nevada,
H. P BROWN,
Administrator.
Dated at Reno, Nev, Sept 22.

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